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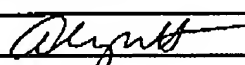
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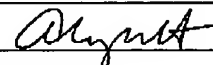
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2005, a response to which is due September 6, 2005.

Pending claims 2-4, 6-8, 19 and 20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112 and 103.

Claims 5 and 9-12 were withdrawn in view of the restriction requirement.

Amendments to the specification and claims follow on separate pages; applicants remarks follow the amendments to the claims.